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song, I don't think so.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Senator Pedersen, I guess I would ask you, it's an awkward time here on the floor. I'll just bluntly ask you, are you prepared to stand at ease while Senator Chambers gets his amendment filed?

SENATOR DW. PEDERSEN: Yes, I am.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Okay, well we'll do so then.

SENATOR DW. PEDERSEN: Thank you.

EASE

SPEAKER WITHEM: We are standing at ease for a reasonable length of time, not to exceed another 35 seconds. Mr. Clerk, I understand you have an amendment.

CLERK: Excuse me, yes, Mr. President. Senator Chambers would move to amend Senator Pedersen's amendment. (See FA186 on page 1595 of the Legislative Journal.)

SPEAKER WITHEM: Senator Chambers, to open on your amendment to the Pedersen amendment.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you. And what I would do, Mr. Speaker and members of the Legislature, in line 3 of Senator Pedersen's amendment, Senator Dwite Pedersen's amendment, I would strike the word "issue" and insert...wait a minute, I want to get this on the right line, line 4. Strike the word "issue" and insert "authorize the issuance". Then we would have the language mirroring what is in the current law. We're taking the same structure of that phraseology and putting it into this amendment. So in line 4, if you're with me now, strike the word "issue", insert "authorize the issuance", and that language would then read that this director would have the authority, or wait a minute, let me read it. The Health and Human Services..."The Director of Health and Human Services shall have the authority and may delegate the authority to the Juvenile Services Director to authorize the issuance", and then we go on "of warrants". So it should be "authorize the issuance of".